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1. Recently on orders from the Chinese Communist Military Council in Peiping, the National Defense Research Group organized the South China National Defense Inspection Group. Its mission will be to inspect the defenses on the coastal area of South China. [] the inspection group left for Hainan. It was composed of:

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- a. Head: CHANG Chih-chung (張治中), also head of the National Defense Research Group.*
- b. Deputy Head: HAN Chao-tsung (韓朝宗).
- c. YEH Kuang-chih (雲光赤), also special commissioner of the Canton office of the National Defense Research Group.
- d. LI T'ao (李濤), also member of the National Defense Research Group.*
- e. CH'EN Wei-i (陳唯一), also member of the Canton office of the National Defense Research Group.
- f. Two Soviet advisers.

2. [] a number of large army rice-flour depots were in Paoan Hsien (113-56, 22-32) in the Kungmingyu (公明圩), Hsinchia (113-50, 22-44), Hsihsiang (113-53, 22-34), and Nant'ou (113-56, 22-31) areas. On Tahn (大新) Road in Nant'ou there is a rice mill where large quantities of rice-flour are now stored.

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3. [] 100 drums of gasoline and 300 boxes of ammunition stored in the T'ihsi (提西) Road warehouse, Chiangmen (113-06, 22-34), were sent to Chanchiang (湛江) on 60 army trucks by the Chiangmen Military Control Commission.

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h. [redacted] the Shunte (113-16, 22-50) Hsien authorities sent 12 tons of unhusked rice to Tulin, Tainan.

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* [redacted] Comment. [redacted] CHIANG was chief of the Communist National Defense Planning Section of the Ministry of Defense and [redacted] he and LI T'ao were investigating Communist radar defense preparations for Kwangtung [redacted]

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